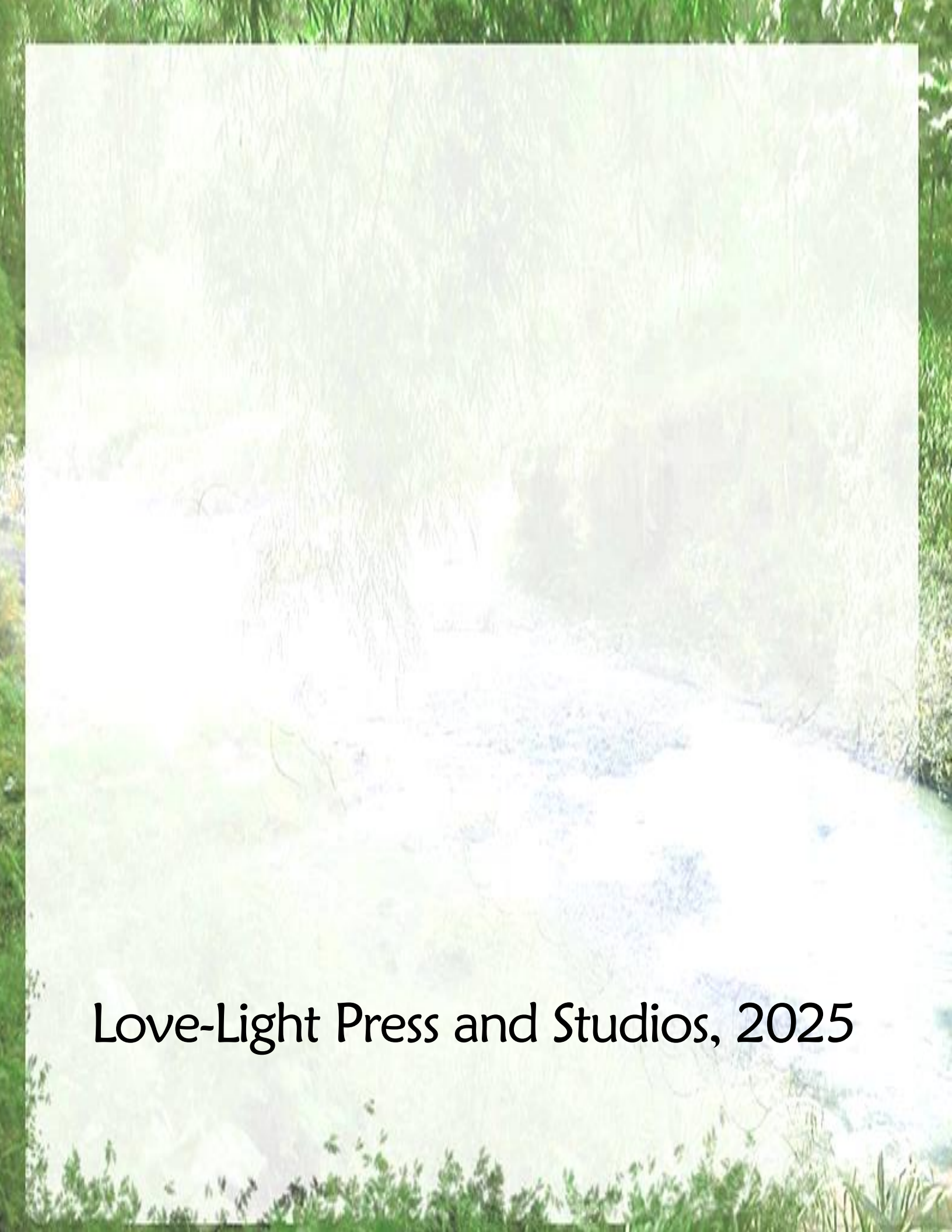


The Rest of Esther

**1611 King James
Version**

Chapter 15

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THE REST OF ESTHER 15

15:1 And upon the third day when she had ended her prayer, she laid away her mourning garments, and put on her glorious apparel.

15:2 And being

**gloriously adorned,
after she had
called upon God,
who is the
beholder, and
Saviour of all
things, she took
two maids with her.**

**15=3 And upon the
one she leaned as
carrying her self**

daintily

15:4 And the other followed bearing up her train.

15:5 And she was ruddy through the perfection of her beauty, and her countenance was cheerful, and very amiable: but her

**heart was in
anguish for fear.**

15:6 Then having
passed through all
the doors, she
stood before the
King, who sat upon
his royal throne,
and was clothed
with all his robes
of majesty, all

**glittering with gold
and precious
stones, and he was
very dreadful.**

15:7 Then lifting up
his countenance
that shone with
majesty, he looked
very fiercely upon
her: and the Queen
fell down and was

**pale, and fainted,
and bowed her self
upon the head of
the maid that went
before her.**

**15:8 Then God
changed the spirit
of the king into
mildness, who in a
fear leaped from
his throne, and**

**took her in his
arms till she came
to her self again,
and comforted her
with loving words,
and said unto her:**

**15:9 Esther, what
is the matter? I am
thy brother, be of
good cheer.**

15:10 Thou shalt

**not die, though our
commandment be
general: come near**

15: 11 And so he
held up his golden
sceptre, and laid it
upon her neck,

15: 12 And
embraced her,
and said, Speak
unto me.

15=13 Then said she unto him, I saw thee, my lord, as an Angel of God, and my heart was troubled for fear of thy majesty.

15=14 For wonderful art thou, lord, and thy countenance is full

of grace.

15: 15 And as
she was speaking,
she fell down
for faintness.

15: 16 Then the
king was troubled,
and all his servants
comforted her.